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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of) Examiner: Not Assigned
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 For: ROTATABLE FERRULES AND INTERFACES) Customer No.: 23422
 FOR USE WITH AN OPTICAL GUIDEWIRE)
 Serial No.: Not Assigned)
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APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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 Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith for filing is the above-identified Patent Application, including:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Papers required for a filing date under 37 CFR § 1.53(b);
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3. Filing Fee Calculation

Description	Fee Code	Claims	Extra	Rate	Fee
Basic Fee	101				\$ 740
Independent Claims	102	9 - 3=	6 x	\$84=	\$ 504
Total Claims	103	30 - 20=	10 x	\$18=	\$ 180
Total Fees Due					\$1,424

4. Payment of Fees.

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